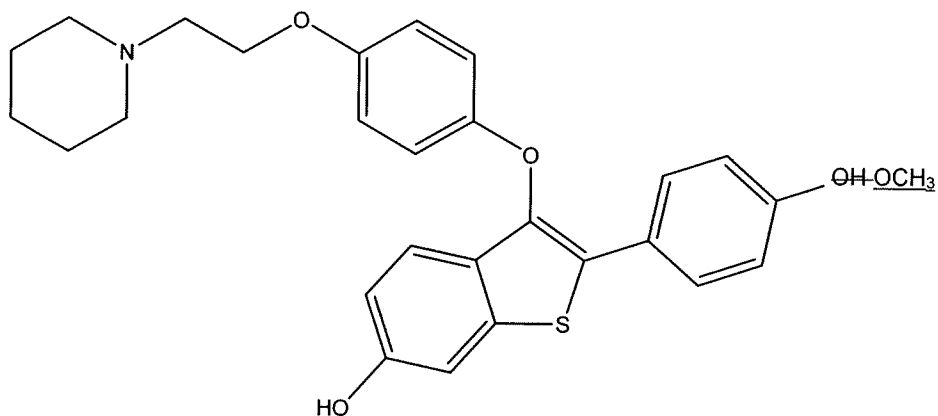


AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 6, line 15, as follows:

Another especially preferred compound for use with the method of the invention is arzoxifene, a benzothipene having the formula



Formula III

and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof. Arzoxifene hydrochloride (arzoxifene HCl) is the preferred salt of the compound of Formula III.